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In re application of

Ulrich Klar et al.

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For: NEW EPOTHIOLONE DERIVATIVES, PROCESS FOR THEIR

PRODUCTION, AND THEIR PHARMACEUTICAL USE

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 17 October 2005 and the Examiner interview of 24 January 2006, please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks that begin on page 20 of this paper.